AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (currently amended) A carton comprising:

a carton body having an opening through which an object to be packaged can be put in and taken out;

a partition plate formed in a plate shape for partitioning a space surrounded by the carton body into a plurality of rooms, the partition plate being movable along a plane thereof outward from the opening, where the partition plate is outwardly slidable along a plane that remains parallel to the partition plate; and

a connection plate comprising a first connecting portion integrally connected to the carton body and a second connecting portion integrally connected to the partition plate, a distance an angle between the first connecting portion and the second connecting portion being changeable.

- 2. (original) The carton according to claim 1, wherein the carton body, the partition plate and the connection plate are formed from a single plate.
- 3. (original) The carton according to claim 1, further comprising an object moving member integrally connected to at least one of the partition plate and the connection plate, for

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moving the object accommodated in at least one of the rooms along with movement of the partition plate.

- 4. (original) The carton according to claim 2, further comprising an object moving member integrally connected to at least one of the partition plate and the connection plate, for moving the object accommodated in at least one of the rooms along with movement of the partition plate, wherein the object moving member is formed from the same single plate from which the carton body, the partition plate and the connection plate are formed.
- 5. (original) The carton according to claim 1, further comprising a cover integrally connected to the carton body, for covering the opening.
- 6. (original) The carton according to claim 2, further comprising a cover integrally connected to the carton body, for covering the opening, wherein the cover is formed from the same single plate from which the carton body, the partition plate and the connection plate are formed.
- 7. (original) The carton according to claim 3, further comprising a cover integrally connected to the carton body, for covering the opening.
 - 8. (currently amended) A carton comprising:

a carton body having an opening through which an object to be packaged can be put in and taken out;

a partition plate formed in a plate shape for partitioning a space surrounded by the carton body into a plurality of rooms, the partition plate being movable along a plane thereof outward from the opening, where the partition plate is outwardly slidable along a plane that remains parallel to the partition plate;

a connection plate comprising a first connecting portion integrally connected to the carton body and a second connecting portion integrally connected to the partition plate,—a distance—an angle between the first connecting portion and the second connecting portion being changeable; and

a handle formed integrally with at least one of the connection plate and the partition plate.

9. (original) The carton according to claim 8, wherein the carton body, the partition plate, the handle and the connection plate are formed from a single plate.

10.(original) The carton according to claim 8, further comprising an object moving member integrally connected to at least one of the partition plate and the connection plate, for moving the object accommodated in at least one of the rooms along with movement of the partition plate.

- 11. (original) The carton according to claim 9, further comprising an object moving member integrally connected to at least one of the partition plate and the connection plate, for moving the object accommodated in at least one of the rooms along with movement of the partition plate, wherein the object moving member is formed from the same single plate from which the carton body, the partition plate, the handle and the connection plate are formed.
- 12. (original) The carton according to claim 8, further comprising a cover integrally connected to the carton body, for covering the opening.
- 13. (original) The carton according to claim 9, further comprising a cover integrally connected to the carton body, for covering the opening, wherein the cover is formed from the same single plate from which the carton body, the partition plate, the handle, and the connection plate are formed.

14. (withdrawn) A carton comprising:

a carton body having an opening through which an object to be packaged can be put in and taken out;

a partition plate formed in a plate shape for partitioning a space surrounded by the carton body into a plurality of rooms, the partition plate being movable along a plane thereof outward from the opening;

a buffer plate connected integrally with the partition plate and disposed between the object accommodated in at least one of the rooms and the carton body, the buffer plate being able to alter when pressed by the object; and

a connection plate comprising a first connecting portion integrally connected to the carton body and a second connecting portion integrally connected to the partition plate, a distance between the first connecting portion and the second connecting portion being changeable.

- 15. (withdrawn) The carton according to claim 14, wherein the carton body, the partition plate, the buffer plate and the connection plate are formed from a single plate.
- 16. (withdrawn) The carton according to claim 14, further comprising an object moving member integrally connected to at least one of the partition plate and the connection plate, for moving the object accommodated in at least one of the rooms along with movement of the partition plate.
- 17. (withdrawn) The carton according to claim 15, further comprising an object moving member integrally connected to at least one of the partition plate and the connection plate, for moving the object accommodated in at least one of the rooms along with movement of the partition plate, wherein the object moving member is formed from the same single plate from which the carton body, the partition plate, the buffer plate and the connection plate are formed.

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- 18. (withdrawn) The carton according to claim 14, further comprising a cover integrally connected to the carton body, for covering the opening.
- 19. (withdrawn) The carton according to claim 15, further comprising a cover integrally connected to the carton body, for covering the opening, wherein the cover is formed from the same single plate from which the carton body, the partition plate, the buffer plate and the connection plate are formed.
- 20. (withdrawn) The carton according to claim 16, further comprising a cover integrally connected to the carton body, for covering the opening.